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FOR: NOVEL BENZL AMIDOXIME DERIVATIVES, INTERMEDIATE PRODUCTS
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Sir:

In reply to the Office action of September 30, 2003, it is respectfully requested that the following amendment and remarks be entered and considered for further prosecution of the above-identified application:

A M E N D M E N T

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel Claims 10, 12 and 13, and amend Claims 11 and 16, as indicated in the Listing of Claims set forth in Appendix I attached to this paper. A clean copy of the claims as herewith amended is found in the attached Appendix II.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Enter the Substitute Abstract set forth in Appendix III attached to this paper.

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